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The Top Five **DARWIN TULIPS**

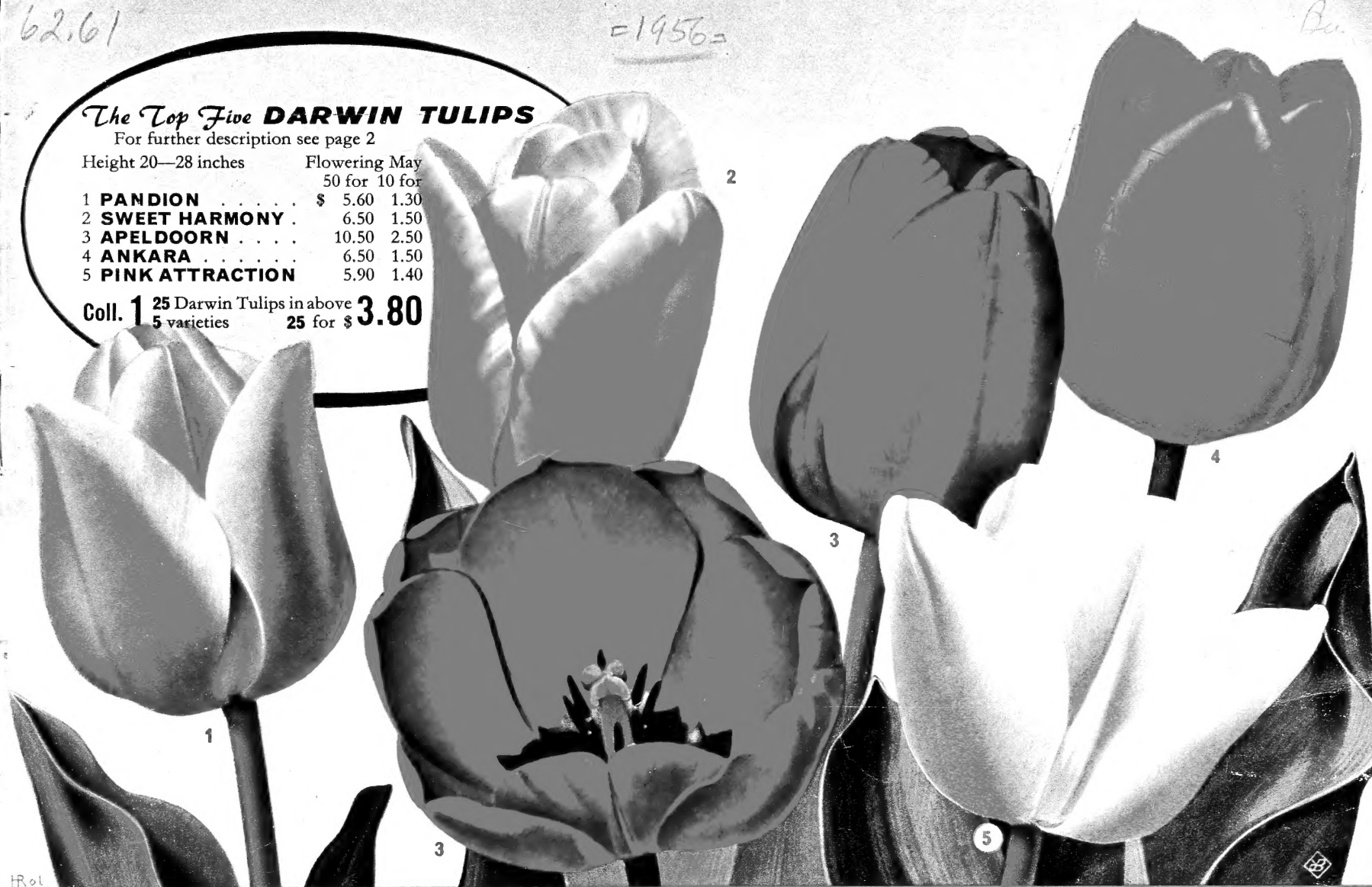
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Height 20—28 inches

Flowering May

1 PANDION	50 for	10 for
2 SWEET HARMONY	\$ 5.60	1.30
3 APELDOORN	6.50	1.50
4 ANKARA	10.50	2.50
5 PINK ATTRACTION	6.50	1.50
	5.90	1.40

Coll. 1 25 Darwin Tulips in above 3.80
5 varieties 25 for \$



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WE AGAIN WELCOME THIS OPPORTUNITY TO SEND THIS CATALOG TO YOUR HOME. YOU will find many new offers, to enliven your next Spring's garden. The world-wide organization of Stassen Junior-Hillegom, Holland, enables us to offer not only the finest Dutch grown bulbs, shipped direct under the control and selection of the world's largest exporter for the home garden, but moreover to have the benefit of an all-over-the-world searching for the most interesting plants and bulbs in our field. We have expanded our catalog with offers of finest selected Peonies (the hardiest and most rewarding perennial for American gardens), named Dutch Amaryllis in the finest possible varieties and last but not least with an exceptional fine offer of the most beautiful House Plants for the decoration of the home. Every shipment is backed by 75 years of reputable dealings, skill and supervision of trained Horticulturists. All bulbs and plants are grown, harvested and packed under most modern conditions to assure proper delivery. All these top quality bulbs and plants are yours at savings—because you buy direct from the grower—no middle man or dealer's profits.

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Cover Specials

The Top 5 DARWIN TULIPS

For the first time in America we offer five entirely new Darwin Tulips. Out of hundreds of novelty tulips that have been judged by our extensive control, these five new varieties were selected as having qualities superior to already existing varieties. They are long-stemmed garden tulips, always beautiful either in the garden or when used as cut-flowers. Bloom in May; heights 20—28 inches.

		25 for	10 for
1	PANDION. The soft purple shade contrasts beautifully with the broad and conspicuous white edge. Slender shape and noble stature. Excellent for bedding. Early flowering	\$ 3.10	\$ 1.30
2	SWEET HARMONY. A very rare and interesting combination of colors, soft yellow with an irregular creamy white edge. Almost unbelievable so attractive and lovely	3.60	1.50
3	APELDOORN. The finest and most popular Darwin Hybrid with colossal scarlet flowers, inside with a black center, rimmed yellow. This magnificent Darwin has inherited the veritable red of the wild tulip so much admired in the original species	5.80	2.50
4	ANKARA. Deepest golden-yellow, almost indian yellow. Perfect flower on a strong and slender stem. Late-flowering and therefore very valuable for bedding. Combined with purple Pansies they make the finest effect imaginable	3.60	1.50
5	PINK ATTRACTION. This lovely tulip is a sport of the well-known "Bartigon" and has the same excellent qualities as a bedding and late-forcing tulip. Moreover this variety may be considered the best pink one of the Darwins	3.20	1.40

Coll. **2** 50 Darwin Tulips in above 5 varieties, illustrated on the front-page 50 for \$ **7.—**

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From Stassen
Bulb Farms
in Holland



Directly to
American Gardens

Terms of sale

Delivery. Our prices include all transportation-charges and arrival of the bulbs in good condition at your address.

Cultivation. Easy-to-follow planting-instructions enclosed with every shipment.

Guarantee. All bulbs are guaranteed to be true to name and color and sure to bloom. Our liability however is limited to the purchase-price of the bulbs.



8—10 inches *Early-flowering* **SINGLE TULIPS** April

50 for	10 for	50 for	10 for
1 BELLONA , novelty.	\$ 5.60 1.30	4 PRINS CARNAVAL	\$ 5.40 1.30
2 PINK BEAUTY	5.85 1.40	5 VAN DER NEER	5.85 1.40
3 COUL. CARDINAL	5.60 1.30	6 KEIZERSKROON	5.60 1.30

Collection **3** 30 early Single Tulips in the above-illustrated
6 varieties 30 for \$ **3.70**

8—10 inches *Early-flowering* **PEONY TULIPS** April

50 for	10 for	50 for	10 for
7 WILLEMSSOORD	\$ 6.10 1.45	10 AGA KHAN	\$ 6.10 1.45
8 BOULE DE NEIGE	5.30 1.25	11 PEACH BLOSSOM	5.60 1.30
9 SCARL. CARDINAL	6.10 1.45		

Collection **4** 25 early Peony Tulips in the above-illustrated
5 varieties 25 for \$ **3.20**



Golden Mascot

Early **SINGLE TULIPS** Mixture

A nice mixture for massplanting, containing all possible shades and colors. 100 for \$ 7.95; 25 for \$ 2.20; 10 for \$ —.95

Early Flowering **SINGLE TULIPS**

A group of very sturdy early flowering varieties especially suited for bedding. They vary widely in shape and colors. Grow about 10 inches tall. Flower soon after the earliest botanical tulips and fill the gap between May flowering varieties. Some of them are specially suited for early forcing indoors during December and January.

	50 for	10 for
* BRILLIANT STAR. Dazzling scarlet; inside black, yellow rimmed base, very early	\$ 4.80	1.15
GENERAL DE WET. Brilliant salmon-orange; excellent bedding tulip, sweet-scented	5.10	1.20
GOLDEN MASCOT. Uniform deep golden yellow, very fine . . .	5.30	1.25

IBIS. Globular flower, soft pink with white markings	50 for	10 for
	\$ 5.60	1.30
* JOFFRE. A yellow sport of "Brilliant Star" with the same excellent forcing qualities	6.10	1.45
PELICAN. Snow-white throughout. Very sturdy grower	5.60	1.30
* PROSERPINE. A rare and attractive shade of purple-pink; early forcer	6.85	1.60

Coll. **"For Holiday Blooming"**
5 15 Early Single Tulips in the 3 varieties marked * . . . 15 for \$ **1.95**

Coll. **35 Early Single Tulips in the above 7 varieties 35 for \$ 4.30**

Early Flowering **PEONY TULIPS**

These fully double early flowering Tulips closely resembling Peony blossoms are undoubtedly the best for bedding purposes. Since all the varieties listed below flower exactly at the same time you can make any desired color combination. Height 8—10 inches.

	50 for	10 for
ELECTRA. Carmine-red, shaded purple	\$ 5.65	1.35
GOYA. Salmon-red, shaded vermillion. A rare and nice color	5.90	1.40
JAN STEEN. Orange-red with yellow rim. Handsome novelty, large flowers . .	6.95	1.65

	50 for	10 for
MARÉCHAL NIEL. Primrose-yellow, soon turning entirely salmon-orange . .	\$ 5.65	1.35
ORANGE NASSAU. Orange-red, shaded scarlet	5.40	1.30
SCHOONOORD. Purest snow-white, very double	5.65	1.35
TRIUMPHATOR. Soft pink, very fine .	5.65	1.35

Early **PEONY TULIPS** Mixture

A spectacular display may be obtained with this mixture planted closely together. 100 for \$ 7.95 25 for \$ 2.20 10 for \$ —.95

Coll. **35 Early Peony Tulips in the above 7 vars. 35 for \$ 4.25**



Orange Nassau

See Special offer Early flowering Single and Double on preceding page.



Mid-Season **TRIUMPH TULIPS**

This group of mid-season flowering varieties has become very popular, because of their excellent qualities as garden tulips. They are of medium height, bearing fine substantial flowers on strong, erect stems. Therefore Triumph Tulips are more and more used for large beds and fine groups, also because the flowers display a wide range of brilliant colors, among which there are many outstanding two-toned combinations.

	50 for	10 for
BRUNO WALTER , warm orange-salmon	\$ 5.60	1.30
PARIS , strawberry-red, edged yellow	4.80	1.15
PAX , purest snow-white	4.80	1.15
WINTERGOLD , uniform golden yellow	4.80	1.15

Coll. 8 20 Mid-Season Triumph Tulips in the above 4 varieties 20 for \$ **2.20**

Late-Flowering **PEONY TULIPS**

Tremendous flower heads which are packed with numerous flower petals, resembling peonies. They are among the last of the May-flowering Tulips. Their heavy, massive flowers are supported on strong stems 16 to 20 inches high. Known for their long-lasting qualities, they revel in a little shading against the hot mid-day sun, which helps them carry their spectacular blooms erect.

	50 for	10 for
COXA , orange-red, petals edged pale yellow	\$ 4.30	1.—
CLARA CARDER , tyrian purple with white base	4.65	1.10
LIVINGSTONE , exquisitely formed, brilliant red	4.90	1.15
SNOW-PRINCE , creamy white, large full double flowers	4.30	1.—

Coll. 9 20 Late-Flowering Peony Tulips in the above 4 varieties 20 for \$ **1.95**

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Holland-grown bulbs are the finest obtainable because they are produced by the world's foremost bulb-growers who have generations of experience behind them. All bulbs ordered from this catalog are genuine Holland bulbs and come to you Direct from Holland. Grown and packaged in Holland, they assure you of healthy, top-quality bulbs capable of giving you the best possible flowering results.

- **ARE HOLLAND BULBS DIFFICULT TO GROW ?**
No. Under normal conditions Holland bulbs will produce well-developed flowers because the flowerbuds are already formed inside the bulbs when you receive them.
- **DO THEY REQUIRE ANY SPECIAL ATTENTION ?**
No. Once planted, the bulbs take care of themselves. No weeding, no spraying for insects. Without further bother, they will produce gorgeous flowers in your garden year after year.
- **WHERE CAN I PLANT THEM ?**
Anywhere, in either sun or partial shade. In partial shade especially Daffodils and Narcissus, many varieties of miscellaneous bulbs.
- **WHAT KIND OF SOIL DO THEY NEED ?**
No special kind. Any well dug garden soil will grow them.
- **IS FERTILIZER NECESSARY ?**
Chemical fertilizers are not advised. An application of an organic fertilizer such as bonemeal may be helpful, but not absolutely necessary for good results.
- **HOW MANY BULBS WILL I NEED ?**
Tulips require 5 to 8 bulbs per square foot, Daffodils 4 to 5 bulbs, Hyacinths 3 to 4 bulbs, and the Heralds of Spring about 12 bulbs.
- **WHICH COMBINATIONS ARE EFFECTFUL ?**
Tulips with Pansies or Forget-Me-Not, Daffodils with Blue Grape Hyacinths or Mertensia.
- **DO BULBS NEED PROTECTION DURING THE WINTER ?**
No, they are hardy. If you live in a climate where the ground alternately freezes and thaws, cover the ground with a light mulch.
- **SHOULD I CUT DOWN THE GREEN FOLIAGE AFTER THE BLOOMS ARE GONE ?**
No, let it die down naturally. The green foliage is essential for the development of the new bulbs.
- **SHOULD BULBS BE TAKEN UP AFTER THEY BLOOM ?**
Daffodils, Heralds of Spring and Lilies should be left undisturbed to multiply. Tulips and Hyacinths can remain in the ground for 3 years, but if you desire to move them to a new location, dig bulbs after the foliage has died down completely. Store bulbs in a cool place and replant in the fall.



Mid-Season **TRIUMPH TULIPS**

1 HIS EXCELLENCY	50 for \$ 5.90	10 for \$ 1.40
2 AUREOLE	6.10	1.45
3 RED MATADOR	5.90	1.40
4 ROLAND	5.40	1.30
5 ROSE BEAUTY	4.40	1.05

Coll. **10** 30 Triumph Tulips in
above 5 varieties 30 for \$ **3.65**

Late-Flowering **PEONY TULIPS**

Height 12—14 inches		Flowering May		50 for	10 for
6 LILAC QUEEN				\$ 5.15	1.20
7 ROCKET				4.90	1.15
8 EROS				4.90	1.15
9 NIZZA				4.90	1.15
10 UNCLE TOM				4.65	1.10
11 SYMPHONIA				4.65	1.10

Collection **11** 30 Late-Fl. Peony Tulips
in above 6 varieties 30 for \$ **3.15**

Late-Flowering **PEONY TULIPS MIXTURE**

100 for \$ 8.60 25 for \$ 2.35
10 for \$ 1.—

De Luxe **DARWIN TULIPS**

An assortment of veritable "select" varieties. We have tested a great number of varieties of the Darwin class for American gardens, observed them during several seasons, before this final selection was made. Each of them represents the most distinguished variety of its color for cutting and bedding. Bloom in May. Height 20—28 inches.

	50 for	10 for		50 for	10 for
* AMERICAN FLAG. Bright red, striped and flaked white. Gaily colored variety on a strong stem	\$ 6.10	1.45	* CLARA BUTT. Clear salmon-pink with white base. The old favorite pink Darwin variety	\$ 4.05	— .95
* BLACK GIRL. A glittering black tulip, may be considered the blackest Tulip in existence. Late flowering	6.40	1.50	* GOLDEN HARVEST. Soft pure yellow. Outstanding in form and texture. Excellent for bedding	4.05	— .95
* CHAPPAQUA. A most delightful novelty. Charming salmon-pink flushed violet-rose. Graceful flower on very tall slender stem	5.40	1.30	* INSURPASSABLE. Pure oval shaped flower of a lovely lilac-rose shade	4.80	1.15
* CHARLES NEEDHAM. A dazzling scarlet flower. This red Darwin has no superior in its color. Excellent bedding variety	6.40	1.50	* NIPHETOS. A slender flower of unbelievable grace. Opening soft yellow turning to silvery yellow with age. This outstanding variety is often called the Queen of Tulips	4.80	1.15
* CUM LAUDE. A purple blue flower of great substance, with daintily undulate petals. A beautiful novelty	5.15	1.20	* PAUL RICHTER. Dazzling scarlet-red. A gorgeous flower borne on a sturdy but slender stem. Exceptionally fine cut-flower	5.40	1.30
* DEMETER. One of the outstanding of all the early flowering Darwins. A tall stem bears a perfect cup-shaped flower of a rich reddish violet with a conspicuous creamy center. Flowers ten days before most other varieties	4.80	1.15	* PRINCESS ELIZABETH. Carmine-pink with lighter edge. Very showy in the border and in groups	4.80	1.15
* GENERAL DE LA REIJ. A rare novelty, warm orange-salmon shaded lilac-rose. Very refined bedding tulip. Grows very tall	6.85	1.60	* ZWANENBURG. A handsome large white flower with black anthers. Tall and well formed	4.30	1.—
			* RED PITT. A massive flower of dazzling bright red with a blue base. Very popular	4.30	1.—



A basic rule of landscaping often overlooked by garden-owners: Plant your bulbs in groups rather than in long straggly lines!

See next 2 pages for **SPECIAL-OFFER** of **DARWIN TULIPS** ➔

Coll. 12 45 De Luxe Darwin Tulips in the above 15 varieties. 45 for \$ **5.50**

Coll. 13 100 De Luxe Darwin Tulips in the 10 varieties marked * 100 for \$ **9.65**

Rainbow Mixture **DARWIN TULIPS**

For flower lovers who prefer tulip planting in a blaze of various colors, here is an inexpensive mixture of the most sought-after colors. It supplies also a wealth of priceless cutflowers.

100 for \$ 7.90 25 for \$ 2.15 10 for \$ —.95



20—28 inches

See also page 7

Gold Medal **DARWIN TULIPS**

Flowering May

	50 for	10 for
1 SCARLET LEADER . . .	\$ 5.05	1.20
2 SUNKIST	5.05	1.20
3 DUKE OF WELLINGTON . . .	5.60	1.30
4 THE PEACH	4.80	1.15

	50 for	10 for
5 CÔTE D'AZUR	\$ 4.55	1.05
6 QUEEN OF NIGHT	4.30	1.—
7 MONTGOMERY	4.80	1.15
8 NEW ORLEANS	4.55	1.05

Coll. 14 40 Gold Medal Darwin Tulips in the above 8 varieties **40 for \$ 4.20**

Coll. 15 200 Gold Medal Darwin Tulips in the above 8 varieties **200 for \$ 19.20**



7 Rembrandt Tulips Mixture

Handsomely variegated and striped flowers. Beautiful in mixture. Named after the great Dutch painter. Bloom in May. 28 inches tall.

100 for \$ 9.25 10 for \$ 1.10 25 for \$ 2.50

Exhibition DARWIN TULIPS

See also page 7

1	GOLDEN AGE	\$ 4.95	1.15
2	ARISTOCRAT	5.05	1.20
3	SOTHIS	4.55	1.05

4	WHITE ROCK	\$ 6.35	1.50
5	LADY HILLINGDON	5.60	1.30
6	THE BISHOP	4.80	1.15

Coll.
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36 Exhibition Darwin Tulips in the above 6 varieties

36 for \$ 4.05

Latest Novelties of **TULIPS**

VARIETIES OF TOMORROW, that *You can Own today*

As a result of a painstaking examination of hundreds of novelties of all classes, raised in Holland in recent years we have succeeded in finding some very valuable new acquisitions, which without any doubt may be considered real improvements. Some of them are still rare and only available in limited numbers.

OUVERTURE

Height 12 inches

A hybrid Waterlily-Tulip, early flowering with a tall stem. Sulphur-yellow flushed crimson outside; inside with a darkgreen centre surrounded by conspicuous bloodred blotches. Very large.

25 for \$9.50; 10 for \$4.05; 3 for \$1.35

SAMBA

Height 12 inches

A magnificent Fosteriana-Hybrid with uniform yellow flowers, inside with very showy black-brown blotches. Colossal flower. Early.

25 for \$9.50; 10 for \$4.05; 3 for \$1.35

ZOMBIE

Height 12 inches

Another Fosteriana-Hybrid with enormous yellow flowers, flushed rose outside. The conspicuous centre is black with a broad red rim.

25 for \$9.50; 10 for \$4.05; 3 for \$1.35

PALETTE

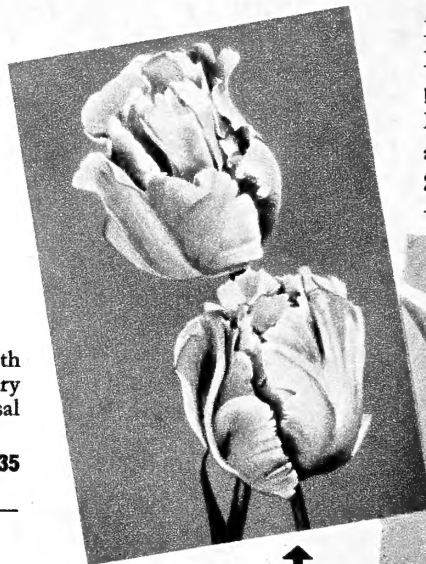
Height 14 inches

Lateflowering Peony Tulip with a very large and full double flower of a rare violet shade with a creamy yellow edge. One of the finest new varieties in this class.

25 for \$4.45

10 for \$1.95

3 for \$ —.65



VALONA

Height 14 inches

Lateflowering Peony Tulip; a counterpart to the well-known "Uncle Tom". Deep crimson-red flushed brown with a narrow pink rim to each petal.

25 for \$4.45; 10 for \$1.95; 3 for \$ —.65

MAGIER

Height 30 inches

A very fine and interesting Darwin Tulip with a large substantial flower. Pure white with a narrow violet edge, that broadens with age. Very tall stem. May-flowering.

25 for \$3.70; 10 for \$1.65; 3 for \$ —.55

ARTIST

Height 16 inches

This is perhaps the most strange and bewildering variety of all novelties. Dwarfgrowing, but flowering in May. Flowers orange-brown, shot rosy-buff with a green streak on the outer petals, which are gracefully undulate.

25 for \$6.90 10 for \$3.— 3 for \$1.—

MAYTIME

Height 24 inches

Lily-flowered. Purplish red with a narrow pink rim to each petal. Gracefully shaped flowers on elegant stems.

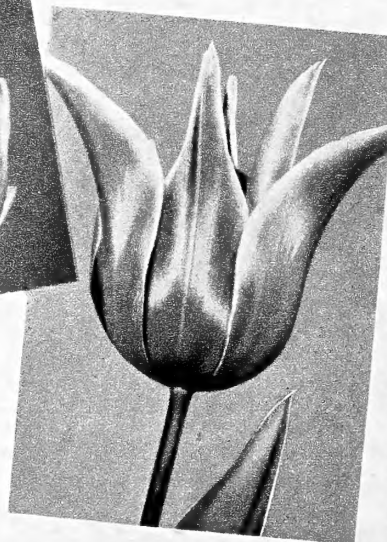
25 for \$3.70 10 for \$1.65 3 for \$ —.55

← QUEEN OF SHEBA

Height 24 inches

Undoubtedly the most beautiful of all Lily-flowered varieties. Rich brown-red with a golden edge. Unsurpassed for its graceful shape, its unusual size and noble stature.

25 for \$9.50 10 for \$4.05 3 for \$1.35



VAN DIJCK

Height 28 inches

The improved "Fantasy" with a strong and wiry stem; remains erect during whole flowering-period. Silvery salmon pink.

25 for \$9.50

10 for \$4.05

3 for \$1.35



Earliest Flowering **BOTANICAL TULIPS**

		25 for	10 for	3 for
1	KAUFM. "CÉSAR FRANCK" (10 inches, April) . .	\$ 4.85	2.05	0.70
2	FOST. "CANTATE" (10 inches, April)	3.50	1.50	0.50
3	KAUFM. "JOH. STRAUSS" (10 inches, April) . .	4.20	1.80	0.60

Coll. **19** 30 Bot. Tulips in the 3 vars. 30 for \$ **5.-** | Coll. **20** 15 Bot. Tulips in the 3 vars. 15 for \$ **2.65**

20—28 inches **LILYFLOWERED TULIPS** Flowering May

		50 for	10 for	
4	ROYAL BABY . .	\$ 6.95	1.65	
5	SEBASTIAN . .	5.65	1.35	
6	CHINA PINK . .	4.90	1.15	
7	DYANITO 50 for \$7.95 10 for 1.85			
8	WHITE TRIUMPHATOR 6.95 1.65			
9	LILAC TIME . . 5.65 1.35			

Coll. **18** 30 Lilyflowered Tulips in the above 6 varieties. 30 for \$ **4.15**

Lilyflowered Tulips Mixture
100 for \$9.10 25 for \$2.50 10 for \$1.05



Waterlily Tulip
(Kaufmanniana)



Tulipa praestans Fusch



Peacock Tulips

Exciting **BOTANICAL TULIPS**

This group of Tulips is just right for the amateur. These are the original species of Tulips, that grow in the remote mountain slopes of Western Asia and the Mediterranean. Gorgeous flowers mostly on dwarf stems make them priceless items for the rockery and sunny spots in the border. In full sunshine their magnificent flowers open to blazing stars, displaying their often very colorful centres. Sure to bloom and easy to grow the Botanical Tulips have gained an enormous popularity in late years, especially since prices have dropped considerably, bringing them within the reach of every flowerlover. Planted deep enough in the sunny rockgarden they will increase in beauty each year, if left undisturbed.

25 for 10 for 3 for

- BERLIOZ** (Kaufmanniana, Waterlily-Tulip), soft yellow, outside flushed pink. 10 inches. April-flowering \$ 12.— 5.10 1.70
- EICHLER MAX.**, brilliant scarlet, centre black with a narrow yellow rim, pointed petals. 12 inches, April \$ 1.95 —.85 —.30
- PRINCEPS** (Fosteriana), glaucous foliage and very large scarlet-vermillion flowers of enormous size. 12 inches, April \$ 2.40 1.05 —.35
- FUSILIER** (praestans var.), the curious species with 3—4 dazzling orange-red flowers from one bulb. Nice for the rockgarden, where only 3 bulbs make a handsome group. 14 inches, Mid-April \$ 6.15 2.70 —.90

RED EMPEROR, the largest, earliest and most beautiful of all 100 for 25 for 10 for
Botanical Tulip varieties; gorgeous brilliant scarlet flowers; black,
yellow rimmed base. 12-16 inches, April \$ 8.75 2.40 1.—

- PULCHELLA**, a dwarf species from Asia Minor with very fine starry flowers of a lively reddish violet with a conspicuous creamy centre. Very rare and attractive. 6 inches. Early May \$ 10.75 4.65 1.55
- SAXATILIS**, another rare species from Crete with lilac-rose flowers with a large golden centre. Requires sheltered position in full sun. 8 inches, early May \$ 2.60 1.20 —.40
- STRESA** (Kaufmanniana), deep golden yellow, outside with a very conspicuous red streak on the 3 outer petals. Very early and most showy novelty. 10 inches. Early April \$ 9.50 4.05 1.35
- VIVALDI** (Kaufmanniana), a faint rose blush over the creamy yellow flower gives it a most lovely appearance; inside the gay-colored centre adds to its beauty. 10 inches, April \$ 6.95 3.— 1.—

Coll. **21** 27 Botanical Tulips in the above 9 varieties

27 for \$ **7.10**

New **PEACOCK TULIPS**

A new group of hybrids with the peculiar characteristic of unfurling their blossoms full and wide—revealing magnificent color variations in a manner similar to the peacock, which proudly displays its feathers. Each tulip displays an amazing variety of gay, harmonious colors, and the foliage is distinctly striped purple-brown. The exotic flowers are long-lasting, blooming continuously from the time of the early to the late-flowering tulips. Heights vary from 8 to 18 inches.

100 for \$ 17.—

25 for \$ 4.70

10 for \$ 1.95

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Amazing New

BOUQUET TULIPS

A whole bouquet of Tulips from every bulb! Imagine 4 or more dazzling Tulips from a single stem instead of a single bloom. The main stem has several side branches, each producing its own Tulip flower! Approximately 20 inches in height. Bloom in May.

	25 for	10 for	3 for
GEORGETTE , yellow with red rim	\$ 4.20	1.80	—60
LICETTE , red with yellow rim	6.90	3.—	1.—
MONS. MOTTET , creamy white, flushed rose with age	2.75	1.20	—40
RADIANT RED , brilliant scarlet	2.75	1.20	—40

Coll. **22** 12 Bouquet Tulips in above 4 varieties 12 for \$ **2.15**

Stately Giantflowered DARWIN HYBRIDS

This 1936 introduction is the most important contribution to tulipdom. Crossing the longstemmed Darwins with the Tulipa Fosteriana this strain is distinguished by colossal flowers of rare substance. Mayflowering; tall, strong stems. See also page 1 (Apeldoorn).

HOLLANDS GLORY , a long and slender flower; deep orange-red shade with a scarlet gloss.	25 for \$ 15.95	10 for 6.90	3 for 2.30
LEFEBER'S FAVORITE , an almost unbelievable dazzling scarlet-red with a yellow base.	5.20	2.25	—75
GUDOSHNIK , the deep yellow groundcolor is handsomely contrasted by numerous reddish spots, deepening when fading.	13.40	5.70	1.90

Coll. **23** 9 Darwin Hybrids in above 3 varieties 9 for \$ **4.45**

Coll. **24** March-to-May Flowering TULIP COLLECTION

7 to 8 weeks of continuous tulip bloom! Imagine having Tulips in bloom weeks before your neighbour, and even after most Tulips have finished blooming. This collection enables you to plant each group of Tulips separately in those places where you want Tulip-flowers at the time each group will bloom.

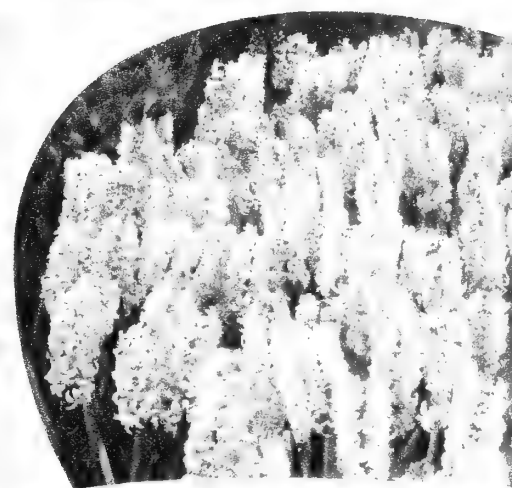
- 10 EARLIEST FLOWERING
- 10 MEDIUM EARLY FLOWERING
- 10 MID-SEASON FLOWERING
- 10 LATE SEASON FLOWERING
- 10 LATEST FLOWERING

50 for \$ **3.75**

Coll. **25** 15 Red Emperor Tulips and 50 Blue Grape Hyacinths. The most effective combination in your spring-garden. 65 for \$ **2.40**

Coll. **26** 15 Red Emperor Tulips and 6 Trumpet Daffodils Mount Hood (pure white). Planted together they make a striking effect. 21 for \$ **2.60**

Dutch Bulbs are indispensable for the Spring Garden





Height 20—28 inches

Fantastic **PARROT TULIPS**

Flowering May

Their petals are slashed and fringed along the edges and capriciously marked on the outside with shades of green

	50 for	10 for
1 FANTASY	\$ 5.35	1.25
2 BLACK PARROT	4.80	1.15

3 TEXAS GOLD , new.	\$ 6.10	1.45
4 FIREBIRD	5.60	1.30
5 PIERSON	5.60	1.30

	50 for	10 for
6 BLUE PARROT	\$ 4.55	1.05
7 ORANGE PARROT	5.60	1.30
(new)		

Coll. 27	35 Parrot T.	4.10
	in 7 vars.	
	35 for \$	

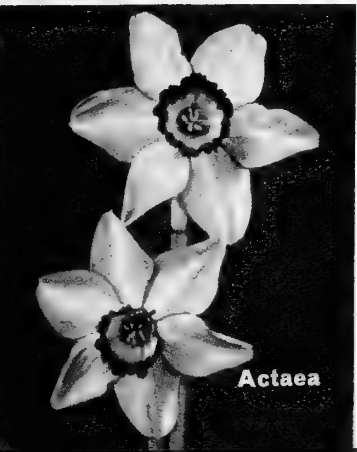
Mixture of PARROT TULIPS		
100 for \$9.60	25 for \$2.65	10 for \$1.15



Golden Harvest



Texas



Actaea

DAFFODILS-NARCISSUS

DAFFODILS, *Giant Trumpet*

The dancing Daffodils are a marvel of beauty in the Spring Garden. From softest cream to boldest gold, all the shades seem to blend wonderfully with the fresh green of bursting trees and shrubs. Don't forget there are no better flowers for half-shady places than the Daffodils, where they feel at home and flower profusely. Let them establish for some years and they become more and more beautiful.

	25 for	10 for
GOLDEN HARVEST , deepest golden yellow	\$ 5.60	2.40
KING ALFRED , the Old Favorite; golden yellow throughout	3.95	1.70
LORD NELSON , clear golden yellow, novelty	5.60	2.40
MOUNT HOOD , purest snow-white, illustrated on page 16	5.35	2.30
MUSIC HALL , golden trumpet, white perianth, illustrated on page 17	4.20	1.80
PRES. LEBRUN , soft yellow trumpet, white perianth, illustrated on page 16	4.50	1.95
REMBRANDT , deep yellow, very fine, illustrated on page 17	4.50	1.95

Collection 28 21 Giant Trumpet Daffodils in above 7 varieties 21 for \$ **4.20**

NARCISSUS, *Red-Cupped, Double and Bouquet*

This is a nice selection of the best red-cupped varieties, the unusual Double and the so fragrant Bouquet Narcissus.

	25 for	10 for
ACTAEA (red-cup), white perianth with scarlet cup	\$ 3.65	1.55
AMIALE (red-cup), deep yellow, flat finely ruffled cup of deep orange	3.90	1.65
CHEERFULNESS (double bouquet), creamy-white, double flowers, three or four on a stem	3.65	1.55
FORTUNE (red-cup), yellow perianth with large orange crown	5.—	2.25
HAVEMEIJER (red-cup), purest white, cup yellow with red rim. Very richflowering	4.50	1.95
INGLESOMBE (double), uniform soft yellow	4.75	2.05
LAURENS KOSTER (bouquet), white perianth, deep yellow eyes	3.65	1.55
TEXAS (double), pale yellow with orange-red petals through the center	4.75	2.05
THALIA (bouquet), the Orchid-flowered Narcissus. Three or more white flowers with reflexing petals to a stem	5.90	2.55

Collection 29 27 Narcissus in the above 9 varieties 27 for \$ **4.95**

Miniature NARCISSUS for the Rockery

This is an interesting group of dainty Narcissus. They have become very popular in recent years, because they are so unique, have small size but attractive flowers. Plant them in small groups in your rockery and you will enjoy them from the earliest spring onwards. See also colored page 27.

	25 for	10 for
BULBOCODIUM CONSPICUUS , the Hoop Petticoat. Perianth-segments are narrow, the yellow cup wide and large	\$ 2.50	1.10
CYCLAMINEUS , trumpet narrow and long, with uniform yellow reflexed perianth-segments. Very dainty	3.65	1.55
LOBULARIS , a miniature bicolor trumpet daffodil. Very fine	3.40	1.50
ODORUS (Single Jonquil), 2—3 flowers on each stem, deep yellow, very sweet-scented	2.25	— .95
TRIANDRUS ALBUS (Angel's Tears), pure white, nodding trumpet with reflexed petals	2.50	1.10

Collection 30 25 Miniature Narcissus in above 5 varieties 25 for \$ **2.95**



Outstanding **DAFFODILS** and **NARCISSUS**

Height 20—24 inches

See also pages 15 and 18

Flowering April

	25 for	10 for
1 LADY KESTEVEN	\$ 4.20	1.80
2 CARBINEER	4.50	1.95
3 MRS. R.O. BACKHOUSE	5.60	2.40
4 UNSURPASSABLE	5.60	2.40

	25 for	10 for
5 MOUNT HOOD	\$ 5.35	2.30
6 FEBRUARY GOLD	5.90	2.55
7 PRES. LEBRUN	4.50	1.95

Collection
31

21 Outstanding Daffodils and Narcissus
in the above 7 varieties
21 for \$ **4.45**



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Height 20—24 inches *Prize-winning* **DAFFODILS and NARCISSUS**

1 **NOVA SCOTIA**

2 **PRIMROSE CHEERFULNESS**

3 **ROBUSTA**

4 **GERANIUM**

25 for 10 for

\$ 4.05 1.75

3.65 1.55

3.95 1.70

3.65 1.55

5 **REMBRANDT**

6 **SCARLET ELEGANCE**

7 **IRENE COPELAND**

8 **MUSIC HALL**

Flowering April

25 for 10 for

\$ 4.50 1.95

4.75 2.05

4.50 1.95

4.20 1.80

Coll.

32

24 Prize-winning Daffodils and Narcissus in the above 8 varieties

24 for \$ **4.15**



DAFFODILS for Naturalizing

Glistening like a carpet of silver and gold, naturalized Narcissus are spring's crowning glory. Scatter them throughout the garden, under trees, on slopes, in fields and wherever they can be left alone to increase from year to year. We have selected those varieties which are hardy and multiply freely.

GOLDEN TRUMPET DAFFODILS Mixture	100 for	25 for
RED-CUPPED NARCISSUS Mixture	\$ 6.75	1.85
BOUQUET & DOUBLE NARCISSUS Mixture	6.25	1.70
	6.50	1.80

Coll. 33 25 Trumpet, 25 Red-cupped, Bouquet and Double Daffodils-Narcissus in Mixture 50 for \$ 3.50

Coll. 34 50 Trumpet, 50 Red-cupped, Bouquet and Double Daffodils-Narcissus in Mixture 100 for \$ 6.55

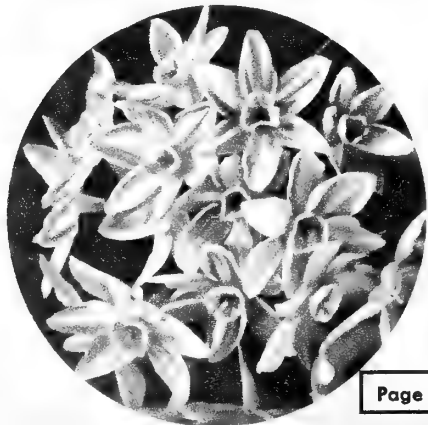
Quality Mixture DAFFODILS-NARCISSUS for Naturalizing

This mixture is exceedingly interesting, because of all the different shapes and colors used in its selection. We have selected only varieties that freely multiply and return year after year. 500 for \$ 30.—; 100 for \$ 6.40; 25 for \$ 1.75

Easy-to-grow
"PAPERWHITE"
Bunchflowering Narcissus

Nothing is easier than to grow these bulbs in bowls only filled with pebbles and water. They may be put in the light from the beginning. Within 5 weeks the bulbs are in full bloom. For best results don't plant them before the middle of November and then at intervals of two weeks for continuous bloom.

100 for \$ 14.—; 25 for \$ 3.85; 10 for \$ 1.65



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MERTENSIA Virginia Bluebell

A beautiful hardy perennial which grows 1 to 1½ feet high, bearing many flower clusters of a soft porcelain-blue shade. They thrive in either sun or shade and flower more abundantly every year. The finest plant to combine with Trumpet-Daffodils for a beautiful picture of blue and gold.

100 for \$ 22.—; 25 for \$ 6.—; 10 for \$ 2.60

Collection 35 25 Golden Trumpet Daffodils and 6 Mertensia. A lovely combination, returning each spring. 31 for \$ 3.25

Largeflowered CROCUS for Garden and Pots

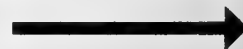
For showy displays the Crocus should be planted in groups and masses. Crocus require no special soil or location and do well in half shade, under trees and shrubs, where many other plants fail. The varieties marked * are also suitable to grow in pots for indoor blooming.

EARLY PERFECTION, silvery blue	100 for	25 for	10 for
GRAND MAÎTRE, dark purple blue	\$ 4.50	1.25	— .55
KING OF THE STRIPED, finely striped purple on white	4.25	1.20	— .50
*PURPUREA GRANDIFLORA, rich violet purple	4.—	1.10	— .50
*REMEMBRANCE, glowing glossy purple	4.50	1.25	— .55
*SNOWSTORM, immaculate snow-white	4.50	1.25	— .55
*STRIPED BEAUTY, feathered violet on a white ground	5.50	1.50	— .65
*YELLOW MAMMOTH, the wellknown Dutch golden yellow Crocus	4.—	1.10	— .50

Collection 36 40 Crocus for garden in the above 8 varieties 40 for \$ 1.90

Collection 37 25 Crocus for indoor in the 5 varieties marked * 25 for \$ 1.30

See next page for Special offer of Crocus for Naturalizing





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Largeflowered **CROCUS**

Height 4—5 inches

Flowering March

100 for 25 for 10 for

SKY BLUE	\$ 3.50	0.95	0.40
DEEP PURPLE	3.50	0.95	0.40
SNOW WHITE	4.20	1.15	0.50
VARIEGATED STRIPED	3.25	0.90	0.40
GLOSSY GOLDEN YELLOW	3.25	0.90	0.40

Coll. **38** ⁵⁰ in 5 colors
50 for \$ **1.95**

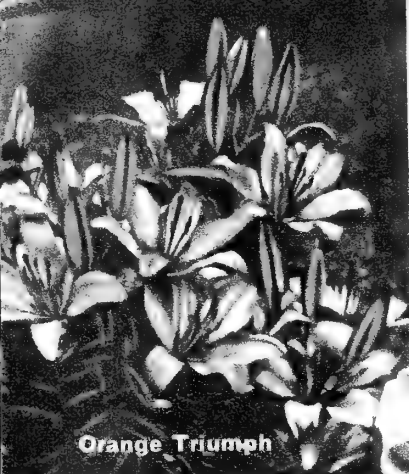
Coll. **39** ¹²⁵ in 5 colors
125 for \$ **4.40**

Mixture of Largeflowered
CROCUS

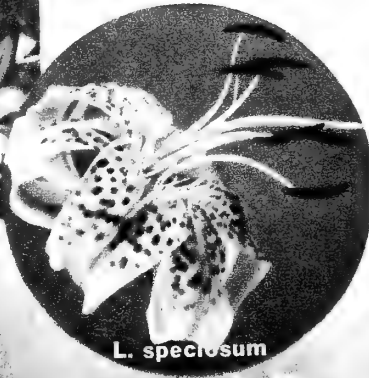
250 for \$ 7.50 25 for \$ 0.90 100 for \$ 3.15

Hardy **GARDEN LILIES**

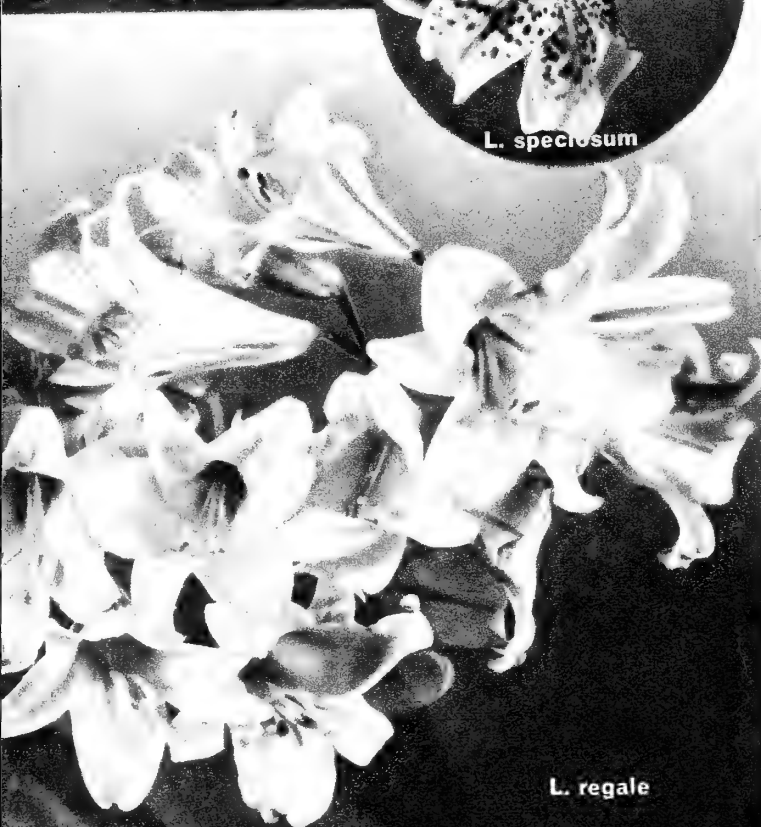
There is hardly any flower, more stately and at the same time more graceful than the Lily. Its numerous species and varieties display a wide variation of color, shape of flower and period of blooming. All are handsome and interesting. Lilies love to have their "heads in the sun and feet in the shade" — so provide a location where the base of the plant will be somewhat shaded. Leave them undisturbed for years and they become more vigorous and richer flowering year after year.



Orange Triumph



L. speciosum



L. regale

LILIUM CANDIDUM (Madonna Lily). Loveliest snow-white Lily.

Delightfully fragrant. Height 4 ft. June. Ill. on page 32 \$ 8.50 3.60 1.20

FIRE KING. A new hybrid Lily of great beauty. Numerous bright fire-red flowers, spotted inside, are arranged in broad clusters. One of the most valuable novelties for cutting. Height 4 ft. June-July

10.50 4.50 1.50

HENRYI. Apricot-yellow flowers with reflexed petals; grows in shade and sun equally well. Height 5—6 ft. August

8.75 3.75 1.25

***LONGIFLORUM** (Easter Lily). Large, pure white, trumpet-shaped flowers on stems 2 ½ feet tall. Very fragrant and blooms profusely. July

7.35 3.15 1.05

***ORANGE TRIUMPH.** An improved hybrid of the umbellatum-type with large clusters of deep orange flowers. Very fine for large groups and cutting. Height 3 ft. June

7.35 3.15 1.05

***REGALE.** The popular and well-known Regale Lily with large white trumpet-flowers, outside flushed purple-pink. Grows in any soil and position. Height 4 ft. July

7.35 3.15 1.05

SPECIOSUM RUBRUM. Delicate wavy flowers of frosted-white, suffused rose-pink with dainty crimson spots. Height 3 ½ ft. Aug.—Sept.

11.50 4.95 1.65

***TIGRINUM.** Tiger Lily, with very large orange-red flowers, spotted black; easiest to grow and rich flowering in any location. Height 4 ft. August

7.35 3.15 1.05

Coll. 40 8 Lilies in above 8 varieties 8 for \$ **3.20**

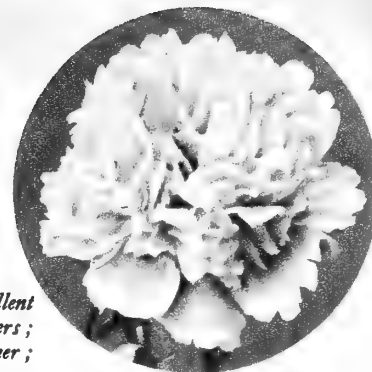
Coll. 41 12 Early-Summer flowering Lilies, 3 each of Longiflorum, Orange Triumph, Regale and Tigrinum 12 for \$ **4.20**

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- **WHERE TO PLANT PEONIES?**
They make a fine show in the border, in front of shrubbery of long paths. They love sun and any good, ordinary, well-dug garden soil.
- **WHEN TO PLANT?**
Early fall planting is highly recommended as the plants can then make good new roots before the frost sets in.
- **HOW TO PLANT?**
Dig holes sufficiently large so the fleshy roots are not cramped. Plant the roots shallow so the eyes are covered not over 2 inches. Space the plants 3 to 4 feet.
- **DO THEY NEED PROTECTION AGAINST FROST?**
No, they are perfectly hardy.
- **DO THEY NEED FEEDING?**
In September and in March give the plants a handful of commercial fertilizer. Shrubs and trees will take too much nourishment away from the Peonies if too close to them.
- **HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE PEONIES TO ESTABLISH THEMSELVES?**
Two to three years.

PEONIES

*the most hardy and rewarding
Perennial for American Gardens!*



An American authority on Peonies once wrote: "There are no less than seven distinct and excellent reasons for considering the Peony the best of all perennials: 1. the sightly appearance of the flowers; 2. its worth for both landscape and cutting; 3. the freshness of the foliage throughout the summer; 4. the ease of its culture; 5. its practical freedom from insects and diseases; 6. its extreme hardiness and 7. its permanence." It seems to us that nothing could be added to this extremely concise and correct statement.

THREE ALL TIME FAVORITES

FESTIVA MAXIMA , purest snow-white, with crimson flecks on some petals. Very double and showy flower	3 for each	
KARL ROSENFELD , deep carmine red, a globular flower of great substance. Fragrant	\$ 2.25	— .85
MONS. JULES ELIE , soft apple-blossom pink, very large and well-formed flower	2.65	— .95
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Collection 42 3 Peonies in above 3 varieties 3 for \$ **2.60**

Collection 43 9 Peonies in above 3 varieties 9 for \$ **7.25**

OUTSTANDING NOVELTIES

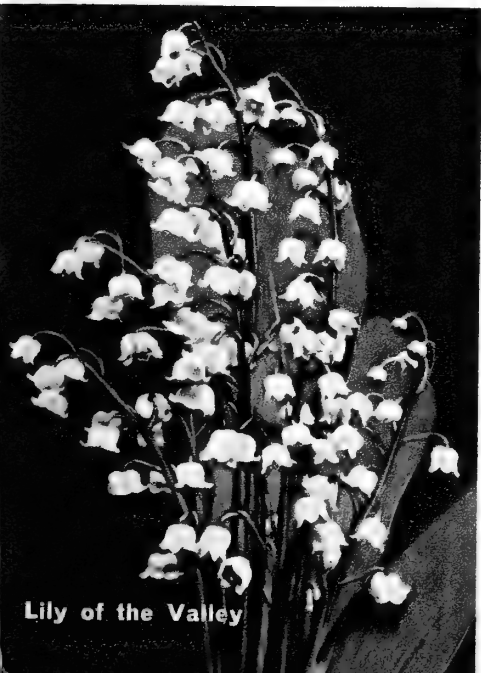
ADA PRISCILLA , "The Yellow Peony". Large yellow crest with broad white outer petals. Exceptionally fine	3 for each	
FANTASY , delicate pink shade. Vigorous grower with many very large flowers	\$ 7.50	2.60
G. F. HEMERIK , a very beautiful rose-red single variety with conspicuous golden anthers	5.65	2.—
MARIE ELIZABETH , this outstanding bright red variety will produce more flowers than any other red we know of and the huge flowers will last longer	3.75	1.35
	5.65	2.—

Collection 44 4 Novelty-Peonies in above 4 varieties 4 for \$ **7.50**

LILY OF THE VALLEY

Specially treated fast blooming pips. Imagine these fragrant flowers in your home during winter! So easy to grow. Plant the pips in the sphagnum mass in which we send them and keep them watered in a constantly warm place. Within 3 weeks they will bloom. For uninterrupted blooms plant at regular intervals from October to April. Make perfect Holiday and Birthday gifts.

25 for \$ 4.75 10 for \$ 2.10



Lily of the Valley



MAMMOTH-SIZE HYACINTHS *to grow on water*
(for Glasses and Luxos)

SKY BLUE	CLEAR PINK	DEEP RED
DARK BLUE	SOFT YELLOW	PURE WHITE
10 for \$ 3.75	3 for \$ 1.25	Each \$ 0.45

Coll. 45 6 Mammoth-Size Hyacinths in 6 above colors 6 for \$ **2.30**

Coll. 46 3 Mammoth-Size Hyacinths 1 blue, 1 red and 1 white and 3 Luxos. 3 for \$ **3.75**

Coll. 47 6 Mammoth-Size Hyacinths in 6 above colors and 6 Luxos. 6 for \$ **6.95**

"LUXO"

Improved Hyacinth Vase

(Registered Trade Mark)

A transparent plastic Vase with an ingeniously designed holder to keep Hyacinth erect at all times, particularly when flower is in full bloom. Use year after year.

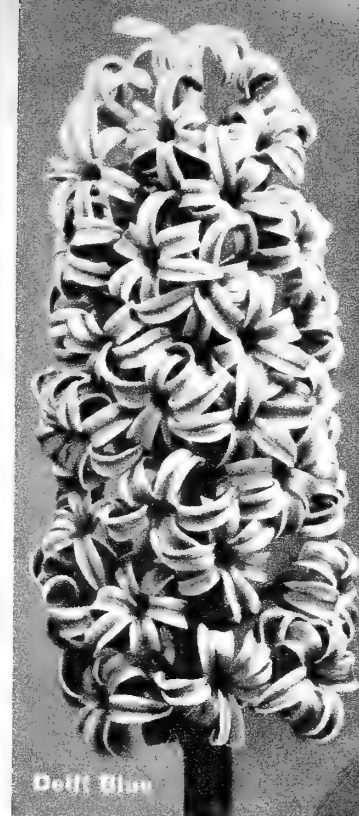
Exhibition **HYACINTHS**

Stassen of Holland grows acres and acres of the finest Hyacinths. From the moment the first Hyacinth-sprouts appear above the ground in spring until July when the bulbs are harvested, each plant is constantly inspected. After the harvest bulbs are cured and treated in modern equipped bulb warehouses and special attention is given to the selection of bulbs that will produce large flower-spikes, densely packed with florets. The following varieties are suitable for growing in the garden as well as for pots and window-boxes. For Hyacinths to grow on water see colored page 22.

* AMETHYST , a new variety with a lovely amethyst-color; an unusual shade among Hyacinths	10 for	3 for
ANNE MARIE , lovely salmon-pink, very early flowering variety with very large spikes	\$ 2.85	— .95
* BISMARCK , sky-blue with a darker center-stripe; very early forcing variety and fine for beds	3.90	1.30
* CITY OF HAARLEM , straw yellow; one of the best yellow varieties	2.10	— .70
DELFT BLUE , deep porcelain blue; a recent variety with very fine formed spikes	2.70	— .90
GEISHA , new variety with salmon-pink flowers tinted orange; this is a new color among Hyacinths, hitherto unknown	2.85	— .95
* JAN BOS , deep scarlet-carmine, one of the best red Hyacinths now in cultivation	3.30	1.10
LA VICTOIRE , deep crimson-red, very long and slender spike, early flowering	3.30	1.10
* LADY DERBY , a heavy spike of broad florets, densely packed; delicate flesh-pink	2.40	— .80
* L'INNOCENCE , pure snow-white flowers, an all around good variety	2.10	— .70
LORD BALFOUR , reddish violet with a darker center-stripe	2.25	— .75
OSTARA , deep blue, very fine recent variety for early forcing as well as for bedding	2.25	— .75
PERLE BRILLANTE , this variety we consider the best light blue bedding Hyacinth	2.10	— .70
PINK PEARL , deep carmine pink, fine forcer and excellent bedding variety	3.75	1.25
SCARLET PERFECTION , novelty of great charm and rare beauty; sport of the well-known "Tubergen Scarlet" with entirely double flowers, each flower consisting of several florets sheathed one into another. The extinct type of Double Hyacinth has revived in this novelty	4.50	1.50

Coll. 48 15 Exhibition Hyacinths in the above 15 varieties . . . 15 for \$ **4.85**

Coll. 49 6 Exhibition Hyacinths in the 6 varieties marked * . . . 6 for \$ **1.75**



Delft Blue

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

- **HOW TO OBTAIN HYACINTHS WITH PERFECT FLOWERS ?**
Buy your Hyacinths directly from the source. Stassen Hyacinths are guaranteed Dutch bulbs, cared for from the very beginning until they reach you. Good Dutch bulbs have fully developed flowerbuds inside the bulb when they are shipped to you. (See photo below).
- **ARE HYACINTHS HARDY ?**
Yes, but it is advisable to use some covering in very cold climates to protect the young sprouts when they appear above the ground in Spring.
- **CAN YOU GROW THEM INDOORS ?**
Yes. Pot your Hyacinths between mid-October and December and put them in a dark and cool place. Water them regularly. When sprouts are 3 inches high place them in a warm room and in the light.
- **WHICH HYACINTHS CAN BE GROWN ON GLASSES ?**
Only the biggest size, offered on page 22.



See the second following page for special offer of Garden Hyacinths by color



HYACINTHS for POTS

	25 for	10 for	3 for		25 for	10 for	3 for
SKY BLUE . . .	\$4.75	2.00	0.70	SOFT YELLOW .	\$ 4.75	2.00	0.70
DARK BLUE . .	4.75	2.00	0.70	DEEP RED . . .	4.75	2.00	0.70
CLEAR PINK . .	4.75	2.00	0.70	PURE WHITE . .	4.75	2.00	0.70

Coll. 50 9 Hyacinths f. Pots, 3 red,
3 blue and 3 white. 9 for \$ 1.80

Coll. 51 18 Hyacinths f. Pots in the
above 6 colors. 18 for \$ 3.45

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

Bulb Pots Attractive plastic Pot, each
to hold 3 Hyacinth Bulbs. 3 Pots for \$ 0.65

Potting Soil Specially prepared for
potting Bulbs. Soil for 3 Pots \$ 0.50



Garden **HYACINTHS**

	25 for	10 for
SKY BLUE . . .	\$ 4.10	1.75
* DARK BLUE . . .	3.95	1.70
* CLEAR PINK . . .	4.30	1.85

SOFT YELLOW . . .
DEEP RED . . .
* PURE WHITE . . .
VIOLET . . .

25 for	10 for
\$ 4.10	1.75
4.30	1.85
3.95	1.70
4.10	1.75

Coll. 52 15 Garden Hyacinths in 3 colors,
marked * 15 for \$ **2.60**

Coll. 53 35 Garden Hyacinths in
above 7 colors 35 for \$ **5.75**

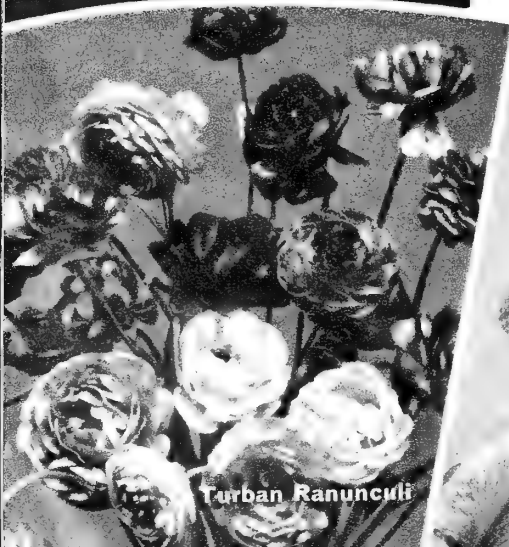
RAINBOW MIXTURE

or all colors mixed

100 for \$ **12.90** 25 for \$ **3.50**
10 for \$ **1.50**



Dutch Iris



Turban Ranunculi



Late Spring-Flowering **BULBS**

Flowering
May-July

ALLIUM MOLY , globular umbels of numerous golden yellow flowers. 12 inches, June	100 for	25 for	10 for
	\$ 2.—	— .55	— .25
ALLIUM OREOPHILUM , dwarf variety, carmine-rose. June . .	2.50	— .70	— .30
ANEMONE DE CAEN , the wellknown and beloved Garden Anemones. Lovely cutflowers in great abundance. A great variety of different colors. 10 inches, April-May	3.25	— .90	— .40
ANEMONE FULGENS MULTIPETALA , the scarlet Windflower with nice halfdouble flowers with a black centre. 10 inches, May. Ill. on page 32 . .	4.—	1.10	— .50
CAMASSIA QUAMASH , starry blue flowers. 16 inches, May. Ill. on page 30	3.15	— .85	— .35
FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS (Guinea Hen Flower) Mixture. With interesting checkered drooping bells. 10 inches, April. Ill. on page 30	3.50	— .95	— .40

IRIS REGELIOCYCLUS "ARTEMIS" , luxurious flowering Hybrid Iris, purple and white. 12 inches, June. Ill. on page 32	100 for	25 for	10 for	3 for
	\$ —	4.—	1.75	— .60
IXIA MIXED , fine Cape-Bulbs with starry bright colored flowers in spikes on wiry stems. Finest Mixture. 14 inches, June	2.—	— .55	— .25	—
OXALIS ADENOPHYLLA , the Chilean Woodsorrel with pink flowers, dwarf. 3 inches, May. Ill. on page 32	6.—	1.65	— .70	—
SPARAXIS MIXTURE , gorgeous Cape-bulbs with colorful flowers. Culture as Ixia and Iris. Full sun. 10 inches, June-July. Ill. on page 32	3.50	— .95	— .40	—
TURBAN RANUNCULI , a superb mixture of the best shades. 10 inches, June	4.25	1.15	— .50	—

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Richflowering **DUTCH IRIS**

These bulbous Iris have often been called the outdoor Orchid. Their elegant flowers display a wide range of brightest colors and they supply a wealth of valuable cutflowers. Give them a sunny position and some protection during frost. 20 inches, June.

GOLDEN HARVEST , golden yellow	50 for	10 for
	\$ 2.—	— .45
H.C. VAN VLIET , deep blue	2.—	— .45
IMPERATOR , sky-blue	2.—	— .45
PROF. BLAAUW , deep blue flowers. Novelty	2.90	— .70
WEDGWOOD , dark azure blue, very early	2.80	— .65
WHITE EXCELSIOR , pure white	1.50	— .35

Coll. **54** 60 Dutch Iris in the above 6 varieties 60 for \$ **2.85**

DUTCH IRIS, Superb Mixture of all possible colors
100 for \$ **3.25** 25 for \$ **— .90**

New Dutch Iris on page 30 →



HERALDS OF SPRING

100 for 25 for 10 for 3 for

1 NARCISSUS CANALICULATUS	\$ 11.25	4.10	1.75	0.60
2 IRIS RETICULATA	3.65	1.—	0.45	—
3 IRIS DANFORDIAE	9.—	2.50	1.10	0.40
4 CYCLAMEN ATKINSII	—	—	6.25	2.05
5 CHIONODOXA GIGANTEA	2.50	0.70	0.30	—

100 for 25 for 10 for 3 for

6 CROCUS SIEBERI	\$ 3.75	1.05	0.45	—
7 GALANTHUS ELWESII	5.—	1.40	0.60	—
8 SCILLA "SPRING BEAUTY"	7.—	1.95	0.80	—
9 WINTER ACONITE	3.75	1.05	0.45	—
10 NARCISSUS ASTURIENSIS	10.25	2.80	1.20	0.40

Coll. 55 10 each of Crocus Sieberi, Iris reticulata, Winter Aconite, Chionodoxa, Galanthus Elwesii, Scilla "Spring Beauty" and 5 each of Narcissus canaliculatus, Iris Danfordiae, and 3 of Cyclamen Atkinsii, Narcissus asturiensis. 76 for \$ **6.85**

Heralds of **SPRING**



See preceding page for *Special Offer of Harbingers of Spring*

Flowering February to May

CHIONODOXA LUCILIAE (Glory-of-the-Snow), starry sky blue flowers with white center. Fine for naturalizing. March-April, 4 inches

CYCLAMEN ATKINSII, spotted foliage, pink flowers. Sheltered position between dwarf shrubs. Protect against frost. March, 4 inches. Illustrated on page 27

IRIS DANFORDIAE, the dwarf yellow Iris from Asia Minor. A gem for every rockery. March, 3 inches. Illustrated on page 27

MUSCARI ARMENIACUM, the blue Grape Hyacinth, fine for naturalizing, but also nice in combination with Daffodils, Botanical and midseason Tulips. April, 6 inches

MUSCARI BOTRYOIDES ALBUM, the white Grape Hyacinth. Use them advantageously with red Darwins. May, 6 inches

NARCISSUS ASTURIENSIS, the smallest of the yellow trumpet daffodils with flowers only ½ inch long. March, 4 inches. Ill. on page 27

PUSCHKINIA LIBANOTICA, milkwhite flowers with a blue vein on each petal. Fine for naturalizing. 4 inches, April

SCILLA SIBIRICA, the blue Squill, produces dark blue flowers in great numbers. April, 4 inches

SNOWDROPS SINGLE, a bulb that hardly needs a description. Earliest bulb to bloom. 4 inches, Febr.-March

SNOWDROPS DOUBLE, elegant variation of the single Snowdrops. The petals of the double flowers are tipped green. Very fine and easy to grow. 4 inches, Febr.-March

TRITELEIA UNIFLORA, starry pale blue flowers appear in May. Fine for a sheltered location in full sun in the rockery. 6 inches

WINTER ACONITES (Eranthis, ill. on page 27), very early when snow is still present the yellow flowers appear above the ground. Febr.-March, 4 inches

	100 for	25 for	10 for	3 for
\$ 2.25 —.65 —.30 —				
— — 6.25 2.05				
9.— 2.50 1.10 —				
2.25 —.65 —.30 —				
3.50 1.— —.45 —				
10.25 2.80 1.20 —				
2.40 —.65 —.30 —				
4.50 1.25 —.55 —				
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HERALDS OF SPRING *Mixture*

Here is a wonderful opportunity to become acquainted with many charming early flowering bulbs as a large number of varieties is included in this mixture. Some will toss their heads right above the late winter snow, others will follow in April. Plant them where they can be left alone as they all multiply freely.

500 for \$ 11.50

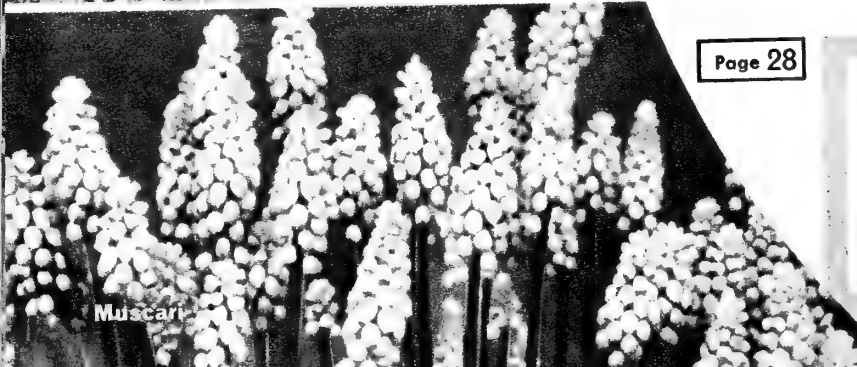
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25 for \$ —.70



Double
Snowdrops

Puschkinia



Muscari



HOUSE PLANTS

The offer on this page is for everyone who likes plants, for there is space in every type of home and place of business for a few indoor plants. The very sight of them in your living-room, breakfast-room, sunporch, patio, entrance hall or office cheers the people who live or work there.

PHILODENDRON Strictly foliage plants they are the most popular of all houseplants because they are so easy to grow. They will grow in dim light or sunshine, tolerate extremes of watering and house temperatures. The varieties offered are of recent introduction, self-heading, those that do not climb and vine-type varieties.

FLORIDA HYBRID. New exotic plant of spectacular leaf design. Heavy textured foliage. Strong plant. \$ 2.25

PITTIERI. Glossy heart-shaped leaf of unusual sturdiness, apple-green. Beautiful on cork totum. Strong plant 1.50

LYNETTE. Makes nice rosettes of long elegant leaves which are crinkled horizontal. Strong plant 2.—

WENDLANDII. Broad spatulate leaves in large rosette. It is rugged enough to stand extremes of temperature and humidity. Strong plant 2.—

NEOREGELIA (Painted Fingernail)
A colorful member of the bromeliad family. The handsome, heavy textured green leaves with marbled markings are tipped with red. This "foolproof" houseplant likes filtered light in any window. The so-called "Cup" formed by the leaves should always be filled with water.

Strong plant. Each \$ 1.75

ANTHURIUM CRYSTALLINUM

One of the finest of house plants. Has spectacular foliage of dark green with a rich luxurious velvet taffeta inset with silver veins. Needs warmth and constant moisture. Strong plant. Each \$ 3.50

Easy-to-Grow STAGHORN FERN (Platycerium alcicorne)

The most extraordinary of all tropical ferns. Has nicely forked fertile fronds. The basal sterile fronds turn brown with age. It may be grown even in dry rooms. Soak plants when dry. Strong plant. Each \$ 3.75

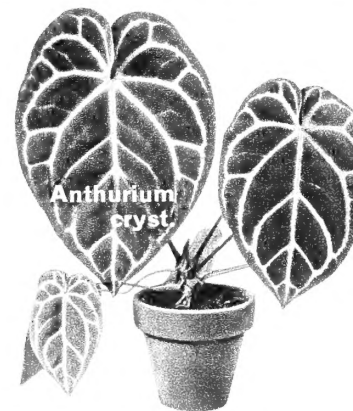
Spray ORCHID (Dendrobium Phalaenopsis). This "easy to take care of" Cane-Orchid produces in early winter a long spike with many of the most delicate and beautiful flowers. The flowers may last for 2 months. Plants are supplied with flower spikes so there cannot be any failures.

↓ Exquisite **LAVENDER PINK** and Dainty **BLUSH WHITE** Each \$ 5.50

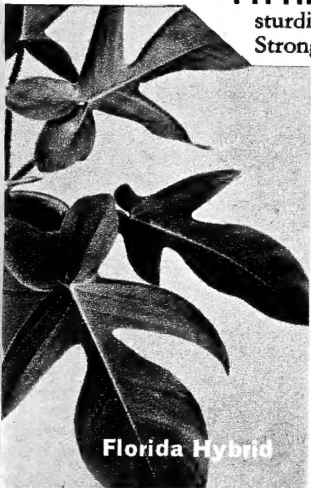
CLIVIA Fully developed plants with 2 feet long leaves, arching gracefully; very decorative. In January, February or March a giant cluster of orange-red flowers rises from the center of the plant, which lasts for a long time. Strong plant. Each \$ 4.25



Philodendron Pittieri



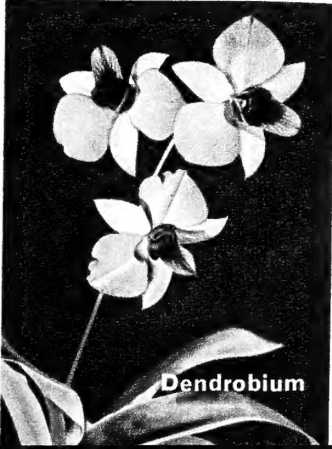
Anthurium Cryst



Florida Hybrid



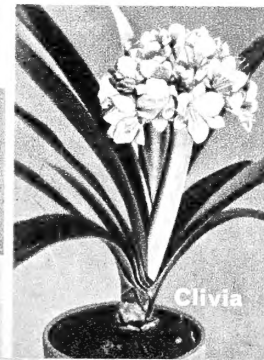
Neoregelia



Dendrobium



Staghorn Fern



Clivia



Philod Lynette



Rare **HARBINGERS OF SPRING**

		100 for	25 for	10 for
1	FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS (Guinea Hen Flower)	\$ 3.50	0.95	0.40
2	CAMASSIA QUAMASH	3.15	0.85	0.35
3	HYACINTHUS AZUREUS	2.75	0.75	0.35
4	PUSCHKINIA LIBANOTICA	2.50	0.70	0.30
5	LEUCJUM VERNUM (Snow Flake)	7.—	1.95	0.80
6	ERYTHRONIUM DENS CANIS (Dogtooth Violet)	11.—	3.05	1.30
7	ANEMONE APENNINA	5.25	1.45	0.65

Coll. **56** 70 Harbingers of Spring in above 7 vars. **70 for \$ 3.90**

Coll. **57** 25 New Dutch-Iris in the above 5 varieties. **25 for \$ 1.55** →

New **DUTCH IRIS**

		50 for	10 for
8	LEMON QUEEN	\$ 2.50	0.60
9	KING MAUVE	2.30	0.55
10	BLUE CHAMPION	3.—	0.70
11	JEANNE D'ARC	2.—	0.50
12	PRINCESS IRENE	4.40	1.—

Superb Dutch **AMARYLLIS**

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in named varieties

The outstanding named varieties of *Amaryllis* listed below have been procured by scale-propagation of highly selected specimens—specimens of outstanding qualities in pureness of color and elegance of form. You can be sure of getting perfect flowers in every respect from the listed varieties which are also prepared for early blooming.

	Each		Each
ALBINO , purest snow-white, noble flowers	\$ 5.50	JULIA , brilliant scarlet red, very early	\$ 4.25
ALCYONE , deep violet red, very fine	4.50	QUEEN SUPERIORA , the best bloodred variety	4.50
CLEOPATRA , pure salmon, a rare and attractive color	4.50	TRISTAN , very dark red, of impressive beauty	4.50

Coll. **58** 6 Named Amaryllis in the above 6 varieties 6 for \$ **24.95**

Prepared **AMARYLLIS**

to bloom for the holidays

Prepared Amaryllis undergo a special treatment which advances their flowering-time by more than 2 months. The cut-through bulb shown here had the flowerbud completed on October 16th. These sure-to-bloom bulbs will show their gigantic flowers within 8 weeks after planting.

	3 for	each
VIVID RED	\$ 9.50	3.50
DEEP SCARLET	9.70	3.60
PURE WHITE	10.—	3.75

Hardy **AMARYLLIS** (*Lycoris*)

Produce Daffodil-like foliage in spring. This dies down in summer and if by magic the flower-spikes suddenly appear in August. The lily-like flowers are delightfully fragrant and are carried on 2 to 3 feet stems. Perfectly hardy.

Lycoris squamigera, PINK , very hardy	10 for \$ 3.—	3 for \$ 1.—	each \$ —.40
Lycoris radiata, SCARLET , very fine	1.75	— .60	— .25
Lycoris aurea, YELLOW	3.—	1.—	— .40

Coll. **59** 3 Prepared Amaryllis in 3 colors 3 for \$ **9.60**

Your **DREAM GARDEN**

Collection **60**

For the New Home Owners we have selected for you in one group a complete Spring Garden of Holland Bulbs suitable for new or small gardens.

Your Dream Garden consists of:

- 25 HOLLAND TULIPS** in 5 separate colors
- 9 DUTCH HYACINTHS** in 3 colors
- 25 GOLDEN TRUMPET DAFFODILS**

25 CROCUS MIXTURE

25 HERALDS OF SPRING MIXTURE

(Includes Scilla, Snowdrops, Grape Hyacinths etc.)

109 Bulbs for only \$ 6.90

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Unusual LATE SPRING-FLOWERING BULBS

	100 for	25 for	10 for	3 for		100 for	25 for	10 for	3 for
1 Eremurus Bungei . . . \$	—	5.50	2.40	0.80	4 Sparaxis "Superba"	\$ 3.50	0.95	0.40	—
2 Iris Regelioc "Artemis" . . .	4.—	1.75	0.60	—	5 Allium karataviense	12.—	3.30	1.40	0.45
3 Anemone fulgens . . .	4.—	1.10	0.50	—	6 Lilium candidum . .	—	8.75	3.75	1.25
					7 Oxalis adenophylla .	6.—	1.65	0.70	—

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3 Eremurus Bungei, 5 Iris "Artemis", 10 An. fulg. mult., 10 Spar., 5 Allium kar., 3 L. candidum, 5 Oxal. ad. 41 for \$ **4.65**